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37**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**Box Patent Application  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

**IMPROVED BROMINATION PROCESS**

and invented by:

**John C. Parks; David H. Knoebel; Lawrence M. Jenkins; George H. Ransford; Gary L. Bowman, Jr.; Saadat Hussain**If a **CONTINUATION APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:☒ **Continuation** ☐ **Divisional** ☐ **Continuation-in-part (CIP)** of prior application No.: 08/658,983

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Enclosed are:

**Application Elements**

1. ☒ Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below
2. ☒ Specification having 24 pages and including the following:
  - a. ☒ Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - b. ☒ Cross References to Related Applications (if applicable)
  - c. ☐ Statement Regarding Federally-sponsored Research/Development (if applicable)
  - d. ☐ Reference to Microfiche Appendix (if applicable)
  - e. ☒ Background of the Invention
  - f. ☐ Brief Summary of the Invention
  - g. ☒ Brief Description of the Drawings (if drawings filed)
  - h. ☒ Detailed Description
  - i. ☒ Claim(s) as Classified Below
  - j. ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure

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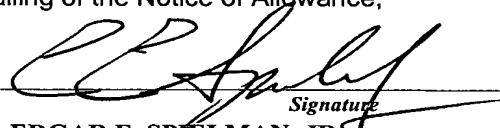
### CLAIMS AS FILED

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Indep. Claims	4	- 3 =	1	x \$80.00	\$80.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					\$270.00
BASIC FEE					\$710.00
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*June 21, 2007*

  
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## Accompanying Application Parts (Continued)

15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☒ Additional Enclosures (please identify below):

Appointment of Associate Attorney - John F. Sieberth  
Appointment of Associate Attorney - R. Andrew Patty II  
Appointment of Associate Agent - Mary H. Drabnis

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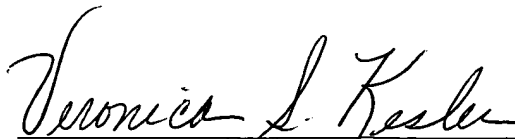
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3. Informal Drawing - Figure 1 - 1 page;
4. Copy of Executed Declaration, Power of Attorney, And Petition - 4 pages; and
5. Appointment of Associate Attorney - John F. Sieberth - 1 page;
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